

E.P. & S.W. SHOWS NEW INTEREST IN SPRECKELS ROAD

President of Rock Island
Makes Careful Inspection
of San Diego Line.

Rock Island-Southwestern interests continue to flirt with the San Diego-Arizona railroad, which was started by the Spreckels interest and constructed from San Diego to Tecate, Calif. Recently U. Mudge, president of the Rock Island railroad, left his private car at Calton, toured the country surrounding San Diego to the east and made a careful examination of the Spreckels line east of the southern point. This trip is considered significant, in view of the fact that the Rock Island and Southwestern have been negotiating for a line to the coast, and the Tucson, Phoenix & Tidewater line has already been organized, with James Douglas, son of the president of the Phelps-Dodge interests, as the principal shareholder.

This road is to be built from Tucson to Phoenix to connect with the Southwestern at Tucson and give the Southwestern an outlet to the coast at once by way of the Santa Fe instead of the Southern Pacific. The "Tidewater" part of the name indicates that there is a future intention of going to the coast. The most feasible route would be by way of Yuma, there to connect with the San Diego line, which has been surveyed that far and constructed as far as Tecate.

Southern Pacific Again Issues Denial.
President Wm. Spruille, of the South-

ern Pacific, has issued a statement in Los Angeles denying that the Southern Pacific was trying to gain control of the Spreckels line. He says the Southern Pacific would welcome the Spreckels line into the Imperial valley as a feeder for its own road, but that there is no intention of gaining control of the line. However, the statement of the state railroad commission shows that while the stock is in the name of J. B. and A. B. Spreckels, the \$2,000,000 with which it was purchased was supplied by the Southern Pacific company upon the understanding that the Southern Pacific would later take over the road. Reports have been sent out from San Diego and Los Angeles since this statement was prepared that ownership had reverted to the Spreckels interest, which had repaid the S. P. and regained control.

SOUTHWESTERN PROSPECTIVE PURCHASER.
The announcement of the S. P. that it had no designs upon the San Diego route leaves the Rock Island-Southwestern railroad as the only prospective purchaser of road to connect with the San Diego line. Railroad men insist that the Southwestern did not build to Tucson as the permanent terminus of the line. The road will be pushed to Phoenix as the Tucson, Phoenix & Tidewater line, which will be controlled by the Southwestern interests, in spite of the assertions of the Phelps-Dodge officials that it is to be an independent line and that the Southwestern had nothing to do with it. The next logical step will be to extend to Yuma and there connect with the San Diego route, which is to be built east to that town, its promoters say.

AMUSEMENTS.

ANOTHER WIGWAG FEATURE.
The Wigwag tomorrow (tony) will offer "The Sunken Treasure." This is an unusual multiple reel picture produced by a selected cast of the Latin comedians. The story is filled with a series of melodramatic happenings, the interest in which is greatly enhanced by some remarkable settings. Each event has been worked into the story and novel effects secured. A burning mine is one of the sensational features. The "timbers" are really falling and a village above it totters and sinks into the ground. Buildings fall and houses sink. These are real and make the picture a remarkably thrilling one. Night photography was introduced, it is claimed, for the first time in moving pictures. The picture could be secured for one day only. The admission will be 10 and 20 cents.

The Wigwag has secured the team of the film world and will show the pictures during this month and May. Among the features are:

April 21 and 22—"Judith of Bethulia," declared by Homer Scott, the former El Paso photographer, to be the best picture he ever saw.

April 20 and May 1—"Quo Vadis," acknowledged by all to be the world's moving picture masterpiece. It is in eight reels.

May 3 and 4—"Between Savage and Tiger," a thrilling animal picture made in Africa by the "Quo Vadis" producers.

May 12 and 13—"Triumphs of an Emperor," a gigantic spectacle which reviewers declare is second only to "Quo Vadis."—Advertisement.

THE BLOU TODAY.

The Pathe Weekly and "The Constancy of Jeanne," a two part feature, will give the Blou patrons a good show today. "The Constancy of Jeanne" is a strong love story played by a splendid cast and shows beautiful backgrounds. You will like it.

Tuesday, "Helen Gardner" in "Daughter of Fate" a three reel feature of merit and beauty, a gorgeous picture, will be the offering. Octoroon, Dion Boucicault's masterpiece, in 3 parts, will be here.—Advertisement.

"BROADWAY SHOW" GREEKIAN.

A Thalhouser big Broadway production, "The Legend of Providence," will be shown at the Greekian today and tomorrow. It is a magnificent picture, featuring Maude Fealy and supported by the Thalhouser "All Star" cast. The first show starts promptly at noon today. All shows start on the even hour. Record breaking crowds are expected. Come early.—Advertisement.

DINNER-DANCE, DEL NORTE.
The Paso del Norte Hotel will give a dinner-dance every Thursday evening from 7 to 11 o'clock. Dinner will be served from 7 to 9 p. m., dancing until 11 p. m. There is no extra charge for table reservation, which should be made early. Admission, including dinner, is \$1.00.—Advertisement.

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\$1.00 Beaded Purse 50c
In white, pink, blue, black or in combinations—strongly made and lined—an exceptional value, 50c.

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In black or in colors, large or small beads, securely strung and knotted—exceptional value at 50c.

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The Exposi- tion and Sale OF Ramony Mills Fabrics

Of course—it goes without saying—that the opening of this mammoth sale will be—by this time was—an instantaneous success. We might, at the time of writing (as is frequently done in El Paso), tell of the wondrous crowds and "eager—enthusiastic buyers"—but we prefer to be truthful. Paper goes to press at 2 P. M. and advertising copy must be in by 8:30 A. M.—at the time we open our doors—We know—as does every man and woman in El Paso—that the values this sale offers—and the publicity it has had, that "Everybody's" will be—is—the mecca, to which every woman in the city—who can, will wend her way, to share in the most remarkable sale of Wash Materials it has ever been her good fortune to attend. The Immensity of the Stocks assures a bounteous supply—for nearly the entire six days' selling—be it ever so strenuous.

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